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Delphinium

48 PERENNIAL PLANTS, only \$1.10

Satisfaction Guaranteed POSTPAID

Large, field-grown plants, all guaranteed to bloom this year if given the little care they require.

The most popular varieties, such as:

ALYSSUM. Masses of bright yellow flowers in May. One of the earliest to bloom.

AQUILEGIA. Long-spurred and double varieties, mixed shades.

DIANTHUS plumarius. Very sweet-scented flowers of many color combinations.

DIANTHUS barbatus. Double and semi-double. Excellent varieties of all colors.

DELPHINIUM. The most popular of all perennials. Excellent for cutting.

CAMPANULA. A very showy biennial with bell-shaped flowers. Assorted colors.

TENUIFOLIUM LILY. Bright scarlet Lily with recurved petals. One of the prettiest Lilies in cultivation.

PLATYCODON. Large, bell-shaped flowers resembling flowering Clematis.

GAILLARDIA, GYPSOPHILA, PYRETHRUM, etc.

One **GIANT PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUM** (New Variety) and one **DIENER'S DOUBLE SHASTA DAISY—FREE**, if you order while our supply lasts.

THINK OF IT!—48 plants plus 2—FREE—a total of 50 large, blooming size plants, and such wonderful varieties as Campanula, Dianthus, Diener's Shasta Daisy, Giant Pacific Delphinium, etc., all for only \$1.10 postpaid.

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YOUR CHOICE, ANY PLANTS LISTED IN THIS GROUP—

These are one-year-old, field-grown plants, all blooming sizes. They are dug fresh for your order so as to reach you in good condition.

6c. each

15 or more, not less than two of one variety, only 4c. each, postpaid, except as noted

All orders of \$1.00 or more are shipped in strong cartons to prevent plants from being crushed en route and to insure 100 per cent safe arrival.

SELECT YOUR OWN ASSORTMENT FROM THE CHOICE VARIETIES LISTED BELOW:

Important—Large orders cannot be sent by parcel post safely and are shipped by express as they receive better handling and consequently arrive in good condition. Of course, our very reasonable prices do not permit us to ship such orders PREPAID, but extra plants are always added to help defray the shipping charges, which we guarantee not to exceed \$1.00, no matter how large your order may be; in most cases it will not exceed 50c. Any amount paid above \$1.00 will be refunded promptly.

ACHILLEA, The Pearl. Double pure white flowers, borne in the greatest profusion the entire Summer. Height 2 to 3 ft.

ALYSSUM saxatile compactum. Indispensable for rockery or border. Masses of bright yellow flowers in May. Height 1 ft.

ASTER novi-belgi. Late flowering hardy Aster with reddish and reddish purple flowers in September and October. Height 2 to 3 ft.

AQUILEGIA (Columbine). Flowers May-June. Height 2 to 3 ft.

Double-flowering Variety. Assorted colors.

Long-spurred. Mixed shades.

CAMPANULA (Canterbury-bell). Bloom during June and July. Average height, 2 to 3 ft.

Medium (Single). A very showy biennial, fine for cutting. Assorted colors.

Double. Double, bell-shaped flowers of many shades of color.

Calycanthemum (Cup-and-saucer). Tall, erect growing plant with cup-and-saucer-shaped flowers. Mixed shades.

CARNATIONS, Hardy Border Mixed. Mostly double flowers of many color combinations. Height 12 to 15 in.

CHRYSANTHEMUM maximum (Shasta Daisy). Large, glistening white flowers in June and July. Height 2 to 3 ft.

COREOPSIS (Tickseed). Attractive golden yellow daisies. Height 2 to 3 ft.

DELPHINIUM, Gold Medal. They are made up from many strains. Fine for inexpensive planting.

DELPHINIUM chinense. Fernlike foliage, blue and white flowers in June and July. Height 2 to 3 ft.

DELPHINIUM, English. Beautiful shades of light and dark blue. Flowers June and July. Height 3 to 6 ft.

DELPHINIUM, Wrexham. Outstanding variety of many color combinations. Blooms during June-July. Height 3 to 6 ft.

GIANT PACIFIC HYBRID DELPHINIUM. A new strain of Hybrid Delphinium. Has slender stems and a large percentage of the plants have proved decidedly resistant to mildew. Under favorable conditions, the plants will reach truly gigantic height.

Lavender Shades. Each 20c., 3 for 50c.

Dark Blue Shades. Each 20c., 3 for 50c.

Light Blue Shades. Each 20c., 3 for 50c.

White. Each 25c., 3 for 60c.

Mixed Shades. Each 15c., 3 for 35c.

DIANTHUS barbatus (Sweet-william). Double enormous trusses which might well be mistaken for perennial Phlox. Mixed Shades. Flowers June-July. Height 12 to 18 in.

DIANTHUS deltoides (Maiden Pink). A beautiful little plant bearing a profusion of small, crimson flowers during June and July.

DIANTHUS plumarius (Garden Pinks). Very beautiful sweet-scented flowers in great diversity of color. Height 12 to 18 in.

GAILLARDIA (Blanketflower). One of the most desirable plants in cultivation. Flowers from early Spring until late Fall. Height 2 to 3 ft.

GYPSOPHILA (Babysbreath). Pretty white flowers during early Summer. Fine for Winter bouquets.

HELIANTHEMUM (Rock or Sun-rose). Low growing evergreen plants covered with a mass of rose bloom during July. Ideal plant for rock garden planting.

HOLLYHOCK. Large double blooms in red, white or yellow. Height 6 to 8 ft.

LILIUM regale. One of the best of white Lilies, blooming early in June. Most easily grown. Height 4 to 6 ft.

LILIUM tenuifolium (Coral Lily). Bright scarlet flowers with recurved petals. One of the prettiest Lilies in cultivation. Flowers during June and July. Height 2 ft.

LINUM (Flowering Evergreen). Pretty evergreen foliage, blue or white flowers in May or August. Height 1½ ft.

LYCHNIS. A very attractive variety producing red flowers on 14-in. stems. As a garden flower for show purposes it cannot be beat.

MARGUERITE. Pretty yellow flowering Daisy. Height 16 to 24 in.

MATRICARIA (Feverfew). A most useful border plant and valuable Summer cut flower with large, double white flowers. June until October.

PAPAVER orientale (Oriental Poppy). Tremendous cup-shaped blooms of orange-scarlet with large purplish black blotches at base of petals. Height 2 to 3 ft.

PLATYCODON. Blue and white, bell-shaped flowers. Height 20 in. Mixed colors only.

PHLOX subulata (Dwarf Phlox). A strong growing creeper, covered with rose pink or white flowers in early Spring.

PHYSOSTEGIA (False-dragonhead). Spikes of delicate pink and white flowers during July-August. Mixed shades. Height 3 to 4 ft.

PYRETHRUM (Painted Daisy). A very pretty perennial producing flowers of all shades of color during May and June. Height 2 to 3 ft.

TUNICA saxifraga. A pretty tufted plant with light pink flowers, produced all Summer, about 6 in. high. For the rockery or border.

VERONICA. Literally covers itself with blossoms of intense blue. 12 in. June-July.

Two-year-old Field-grown Hardy Perennial Plants, or One-year-old Plants of Rare Varieties

Only 15c. each—7 or more 10c. each, except as noted

These perennials have all bloomed in our nurseries and will give a permanent garden you will enjoy.

BLACKBERRY LILY. Attractively dotted Lilies during August-September. Height 3 ft.

BLEEDINGHEART (Eximia). Finely cut foliage and showy racemes of pretty pink flowers. Hardy anywhere.

CENTAUREA montana. Grows 2 ft. high, bearing large violet-blue flowers from July to September.

DELPHINIUM, Iceberg. Beautiful semi-double and single white flowers. Fine for cutting.

GAILLARDIA. Improved strain of selected colors having range from reddish bronze to deep gold.

LINUM flavum. Leaves flat and broad. Flowers golden yellow, ¾ in. across. Suitable for rockery.

LUPINUS. Stately and beautiful perennial. Mixed shades.

RUSSELL LUPINS. Sensation Russell Hybrids. Extraordinary colors; many new shades never before seen in Lupins. Individual flowers above average size. Spike 3 to 5 ft. tall. Each 30c., 4 for \$1.00

LYTHRUM superbum roseum. Very showy rosy purple spikes about 2 or 3 ft. high, produced in profusion all Summer.

PENTSTEMON barbatus torreyi. Spikes 2 ft. long of bright scarlet flowers from June till August.

PLATYCODON (Chinese Bellflower). Large, showy deep blue or white flowers on 20 in. spikes.

POPPY orientale. Large flaming red blossoms. The most popular of all perennials.

PHLOX DECUSSATA (Hardy Phlox).

Africa. Carmine red with dark eye. Large trusses. One of the most beautiful varieties in its color.

Beacon. A very pretty clear cherry-red variety.

Champs Elysees. Fine dark purple. One of the very best in purple colors.

Mrs. Jenkins (Independence). Pure white. Large flowering; grows very fast and is of medium height.

PHLOX, Thor. Deep salmon pink suffused and overlaid with a scarlet glow. One of the best varieties.

PYRETHRUM (Painted Daisy). Mixed colors. Pretty flowers of shades of color.

PYRETHRUM. Finest double mixed (running about 70% double). Fine mixture containing sorts in many shades of pink, rose and white.

RUDBECKIA purpurea. Most attractive purple flowers, with a very large, brown, cone-shaped center. Blooms from July to October. 3 ft. high.

SHASTA DAISY (Chrysanthemum maximum). A lovely, strong growing and free flowering perennial. Easy to grow and invaluable for cutting.

SHASTA DAISY, Diener's Giant Double White (running about 70% double). Flowers 5 in. across resemble giant Asters on long, wiry stems.

SEDUM spectabile (Brilliant). One of the prettiest of erect-growing species. Light green foliage, immense heads of showy rose colored flowers.



Alyssum



Campanula Double



Aquilegia (Long-spurred)



Pyrethrum, Double



Dianthus Plumarius



Platycodon



Lupinus



Phlox



Rose, Autumn



Peony



Cushion Chrysanthemum

ROSES

STRONG TWO-YEAR FIELD-GROWN STOCK

Each 40c., 3 for \$1.00 postpaid

AUTUMN (*Hybrid Tea*). Burnt orange streaked and marked with red. Bud of medium size, developing into double, fragrant flower.

COLUMBIA (*Hybrid Tea*). Exceptionally free bloomer. Color a pleasing shade of rose-pink and very fragrant.

KILLARNEY (*Hybrid Tea*). Double white. Flowers white as snow.

LADY HILLINGDON (*Hybrid Tea*). A beautiful coppery shade of apricot-yellow, beautiful in the bud; strong grower.

RED RADIANCE (*Hybrid Tea*). An ideal bedding Rose that continues to produce flowers throughout the Summer. Bright cerise-red.

Hardy Climbing Roses

CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY. Vigorous grower; free bloomer. Color a pleasing dark red.

DR. W. VAN FLEET. The long pointed buds are of a rich flesh-pink on stems 12 to 18 in. long. Splendid for cutting.

SILVER MOON. Pure white in color, beautifully cupped, forming Clematis-like flowers.



Rose, American Beauty

PEONIES

STRONG, 3- TO 5-EYE ROOTS—Each 25c., 3 for 60c., postpaid

DELICATISSIMA. Vigorous grower, free bloomer. Color a very pleasing shade of pale pink.

FESTIVA MAXIMA. Paperwhite, crimson markings in center. Very large and full rose type; very tall, strong growth. Early.

LAMARTINE. Deep rose, red. Large, medium height; very floriferous, well liked and reliable.

TENUIFOLIA FLORA-PLENA. Deep red blossoms with beautiful fringe foliage.

DAHLIAS

Each 20c., 3 or more, 15c. each

AVALON. A great Dahlia of fine form, carried on a long and strong stem. The color is rich lemon-yellow. Flowers 6 to 8 in. in diameter.

JERSEY'S BEAUTY. Of large size and carried on long stems. The color is lovely pink with a shading of chamois.

JEAN KERR. The most valuable of all white Dahlias with lovely, medium size blooms carried on long stems.

MRS. I. DE VER WARNER. Lovely orchid. Beautiful, large, well-shaped blooms carried on long stems.



Dahlia, Jersey's Beauty

**All varieties listed in following groups—20c. each; 3 or more, only 15c. each
Select your own assortment**

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

CUSHION:

Bronze Cushion. Deep bronze flowers, turning to coppery yellow.

Pink Cushion. Light pink flowers by the hundreds in mounds.

Rose Cushion. Rose-pink, deeper in color than Pink Cushion, but same habit.

White Cushion. At opening delicate pink, turning pure white as flower develops.

Yellow Cushion. Pure golden yellow.

NEW KOREAN:

Something new in Chrysanthemums. These are in mixed colorings and in single, semi-double, and double forms. Early blooming.

BLEEDING HEART

SPECTABILE (OLD-FASHIONED). Its long racemes of graceful, heart-shaped pink flowers in May and June are always attractive. Ideal for any part of the hardy border, and especially suitable for planting in the shade.



Bleedingheart